PC25293A hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: MS Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P. D. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 2313-1450 on this 21st day of July, 2005. Janice Denison (Typed or printed name of person) IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE IN RE APPLICATION OF: Munchhof, Michael, J., et al. Examiner: P. Morris **APPLICATION NO.: 10/667,183** Group Art Unit: 1625 FILING DATE: September 17, 2003 Confirmation No. 8579

TITLE: Novel Triazole Compounds as Transforming

Growth Factor (TGF) Inhibitors

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Dear Sir:

Supplemental Amendment In Response To Final Office Action Under 37 CFR § 1.116

In response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the subject application in view of the following remarks. The response is being filed within the three month shortened statutory period for reply.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks / Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.